

THIS VAGRANT WEALTHY MAN

Christian Ricks Sent to Jail For Thirty Days.

HE HAD MONEY IN THE BANK

ALSO OWNS FARMING LANDS—MIND MAY BE AFFECTED.

WITH several thousands of dollars in the bank and holding title to many broad acres of farming lands, Christian Ricks, a German, 45 years old, has been serving a thirty days' sentence for vagrancy in the city jail.

Ragged and unshorn, he was arraigned in the city court on Oct. 8, charged with committing a minor misdemeanor. As he seemed poor and friendless, the sentence was given him as much with the idea of providing him with a home as anything else. Ricks made no defense, said no word, but peacefully followed the jailer into the confines of the jail.

The next day he went out with the other prisoners to the city rock pile and worked with them. He ate of the prison fare and did not complain, and never by word or act did he seem to be anything else than the common vagrant which the police supposed him to be.

Nearly Saturday, when he had served twenty days of his sentence, he was riding to his daily toil in the wagon, when he was arrested, when a man standing on the street caught a passing glance from his eye and recognized him as Christian Ricks, the old man known to the police as a vagrant, but who, the owner of farms and with a deposit in the bank. He called at the station to see the man and made sure of the identity.

Pardoned by Mayor. When Ricks was confronted by his friend he did not deny that he still owned his lands and had money in the bank, but it is said, asserted that he was earning his keep in the jail and that he did not seek to draw on his funds. His friend, believing that the man was slightly out of his mind, lost time in finding Mayor Thompson and laying the case before him.

Yesterday the mayor, after an investigation, signed a pardon, and Ricks, still unshaven, was taken in hand by his friend. He received a new suit and shave, and a new suit of clothes, with all other accessories, was purchased for him. Then a ticket was bought to a town in Kansas, where the brother of the whilom vagrant is a rich and respected merchant. The brother had not known where Christian Ricks was, and was glad to hear of his whereabouts. Ricks will leave today for the home in Kansas, where in his brother's home he will be able to forget his ragged companionship of the cell room and the rock pile.

WHY LIGHTS WERE OUT.

Busy Housewife and a Little Fire Cause Trouble.

It was about electric lights and until a representative of the power company came around to straighten out the family's dilemma, consternation reigned in the home of this well known Salt Lake family. The family's electric light contractor had furnished the house with a new set of globes, which were to be hung without jacking his or her head into the globe, which, in turn, would be hung without jacking his or her head into the globe. It was a case of the housewife's source of more or less profanity from the family had suffered for months.

When the wife arose yesterday morning it was with the avowed determination of ridding the home of the electric light. She got a file and carefully ground off each little projection, then replaced the globes.

At dusk last night supper was served. The buttons were pushed. But no light. The wife, flushed, as asperated beyond all limit, he rushed to the phone and poured into the ear of the electric light people his opinion, candidly and straightforwardly, of the service. Knowing there was no difficulty on the part of the electric light people, she sent a man to investigate. Inside of an hour he came back with the news, in a flustered manner, that the globes had made a hole in each globe and consequently the minute the light was turned on, the globe rendered the globes worthless.

Hierafter the inconvenience of the globes in their normal condition will be stood for.

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

Yesterday's Record at the Local Office of the Weather Bureau.

Maximum temperature, 65 degrees; minimum temperature, 46 degrees; mean temperature, 55 degrees. Accumulated excess of temperature since the first of the month, 71 degrees. Accumulated excess of temperature since Jan. 1, 131 degrees. Total precipitation from 6 p. m. to 6 p. m., none. Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since the first of the month, 6.57 inch. Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since Jan. 1, 10.12 inches.

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JAIL INSTEAD OF THE ALTAR WALLACE MAY ELEGANT

Young Man Told Sweetheart's Parents to Investigate His Character—They Did So and Learned He Was Wanted For Grand Larceny.

PARENTAL objections to a proposed marriage and an ardent suitor's overwillingness to have his past history investigated are responsible for the direful ending of a pretty romance that would probably have culminated happily mid scenes of wedding festivities in a beautiful home tomorrow night. But alas, the iron hand of the law has landed the intended groom in jail, and the prospective bride is undoing the completed arrangements for a wedding.

The author asked the objecting parents to write back to his home and they doubted him. The reply came yesterday in the form of a telegram to arrest the young man on a charge of grand larceny. That is why L. A. Hooker from Michigan is in the county jail here and no wedding will occur in a beautiful home tomorrow night.

Hooker, who is a dashing young man of prepossessing ways and manners, came to this city about a year ago and was located in Bountiful. He met and became intimately with a well known young woman there. His attentions were devoted to her until she fairly suspected a courtship; then they raised an objection.

To allay these objections the young man told his parents what he had done in his family near the Iowa line in Michigan and ask about him. A few days ago when the parents of the prospective bride found that the wedding had been set for the 20th instant, they immediately wrote to Hooker's family. Yesterday afternoon a telegram came saying: "Arrest Hooker for grand larceny; wanted for stealing two teams and buggies over the Iowa line."

This surprising report was turned over to Sheriff Abbott of Davis county, and the latter immediately set out to find Hooker, who was in Salt Lake preparing for the coming wedding. Hooker was located last evening and lodged in the county jail, much to his chagrin and surprise.

Hooker now claims that there has been a mistake in identity, and that he is the victim of a conspiracy to keep him from marrying the girl of his choice. He asserts that it is his twin brother, Albert C. Hooker, who is wanted. He declares that his twin brother is rather a tough character and stole the rigs. Hooker says that his brother is in this city, and he declares that he is but the victim of a trap laid to spoil his matrimonial intentions.

Further information which has been received from Michigan about Hooker by Sheriff Abbott, says that Hooker has a wife there who, on account of his wildness and desertion, is seeking an existence in a poor house. Hooker denies this, admitting that he has been married before, but claiming that his wife died three years ago.

The Michigan officers have been notified of Hooker's arrest.

BOISE IS BOOMING WILL COMPOSE OPERA

Organist J. J. McClellan to Write the Music For Denver Man's Libretto.

When Organist J. J. McClellan slipped away from town a few days ago, only a casual friend knew he was going to Denver, and still fewer knew his reason. He returned yesterday and told the result of his trip. McClellan has entered into negotiations with a writer to compose a libretto for an opera. The libretto, whose name is withheld for the present, was formerly a dramatic critic, who now is a successful writer of verse. He conceived the idea of a romantic opera, the scenario to be in old Mexico, and knowing Mr. McClellan's ability, asked him to consider taking hold of the musical part of it. The organist has accepted the offer, and has agreed to write the music. He will write the libretto to a story of love and will put in all his spare time composing his part of the agreement.

Mr. McClellan has written some splendid pieces of music. He has, in fact, written a full score of an opera, of which he has incorporated in the new opera. The authors will endeavor to follow the libretto to a happy ending, and are predicting a worthy and successful work.

While in Denver Mr. McClellan was entertained by prominent citizens of the city and had the pleasure of playing upon the large organs there.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

BANK CLEARINGS.—The bank clearings yesterday were \$50,359. For the same day last year they were \$44,061.

RECEIVER NAMED.—Under the order of Judge Marshall, the receiver of the estate of Jacob Peterson, who died last year, was named as J. J. Peterson.

GIRL OPERATED UPON.—Gladys, the 15-year-old daughter of Edward B. Lincoln, who was operated upon at St. Mark's hospital yesterday for appendicitis by Dr. Worthington. Conditions are very favorable to her recovery.

DOCTORS WATCH SERUM.—Paul Erwin, the boy who was treated with anti-tubercular serum, has been released from the hospital and is now at his home, 49 South Fourth East street, last night of old age and general debility. The death of Mrs. Kimball marks the passing of one of the oldest and most respected citizens of the city.

GRITS PART OF MONEY.—Frank Cochrane, who complained to the police that he had been robbed of \$200 in a Victoria, was yesterday morning received \$100 back yesterday morning from the police. The money was found in a box of groceries, which had been stolen from him.

LOOTED BY THIEVES.—The office of Dr. Shores & Shores on West Second street was broken into yesterday morning and looted of between \$40 and \$50 worth of stuff by burglars. The thieves were seen by the doctor, who called the police, but they were not seen by the doctor.

TERRORIZING WOMEN.—An unknown man, whom the police have so far been unable to arrest, has been terrorizing women in the vicinity of the Seventh and West Temple streets for the past two weeks, and the male residents are now being terrorized. The man is caught in a trap set by the police.

LABORERS DECEASED.—Twenty-two Italian laborers called upon the county attorney yesterday to complain against alleged fraudulent transactions which had been made by an employment agency in Spokane. According to their statement, the agency had been operating here, and they had been deceived by the agency.

THE WIFE AND NINE CHILDREN were forced to flee to the neighbors for protection. Deputy Sheriff Maass and a posse of men were summoned to the scene and found Crapp raving and ranting in a furious state. It took the combined efforts of the deputy and his assistants to overpower the insane man. He had to be handcuffed and was then brought to the county jail.

He was comparatively quiet after being placed in the padded cell until late in the night, when he broke forth in another fit and attempted to beat himself to death against the bars of the door. He filled the jail with unearthly yells and beat against the doors so violently that he had to be muffed before he could be kept quiet.

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